



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF NAVAL RECORDS
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ARLINGTON, VA 22204

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Docket No. 4765-25
Ref: Signature Date

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Dear ██████████,

This is in reference to your application for correction of your naval record pursuant to Section 1552 of Title 10, United States Code. After careful and conscientious consideration of relevant portions of your naval record and your application, the Board for Correction of Naval Records (Board) found the evidence submitted insufficient to establish the existence of probable material error or injustice. Consequently, your application has been denied.

A three-member panel of the Board, sitting in executive session, considered your application on 22 January 2026. The names and votes of the members of the panel will be furnished upon request. Your allegations of error and injustice were reviewed in accordance with administrative regulations and procedures applicable to the proceedings of this Board. Documentary material considered by the Board consisted of your application, together with all material submitted in support thereof, relevant portions of your naval record and applicable statutes, regulations, and policies. In addition, the Board considered the advisory opinion contained in Commander, Navy Reserve Forces Command letter 5420 Ser N1/416 of 1 July 2025 and Navy Pay and Personnel Support Center (NPPSC) memorandum 7220 N1 of 16 July 2025, along with a debt computation worksheet, copies of which were previously provided to you for comment.

The Board determined your personal appearance, with or without counsel, would not materially add to their understanding of the issues involved. Therefore, the Board determined a personal appearance was not necessary and considered your case based on the evidence of record.

You requested remission of your debt in the amount of \$608.24 and the refund of \$400 Montgomery GI Bill (MGIB) deduction. The Board, in its review of your entire record and application, carefully weighed all potentially mitigating factors, to include your assertions. The Board concluded that you executed active duty orders from 1 October 2022 to 31 March 2023, resulting in an excess leave payment. The Board does not have the authority to waive this debt, however you may submit a DD Form 2789, Waiver/Remission of Indebtedness Application to the Chief of Naval Operations (N130C) via email at NXAG_N130C@navy.mil. Additionally, as shown in the debt calculation provided to you with the advisory opinions, the MGIB deduction for the month of March 2023 was refunded to you and offset the debt caused by the excess leave checkage and payment of an additional month of federal income tax withholding to the Internal

Revenue Service on your behalf. NPPSC has advised the Board that Transaction Service Center, Norfolk can refund the remaining MGIB deductions for the months of November 2022 through February 2023, upon your submission of sufficient evidence that you are not eligible to contribute to the MGIB.

You are entitled to have the Board reconsider its decision upon submission of new matters, which will require you to complete and submit a new DD Form 149. New matters are those not previously presented to or considered by the Board. In this regard, it is important to keep in mind that a presumption of regularity attaches to all official records. Consequently, when applying for a correction of an official naval record, the burden is on the applicant to demonstrate the existence of probable material error or injustice.

Sincerely,

2/18/2026

